

Amendments to the Claims:

Please amend claims 21-24, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34 and 37. Please cancel previously presented claims 20, 25, 26, 29, 31 and 36, and add new claim 38. Following is a complete listing of the claims pending in the application, as amended:

1-20. (Cancelled)

21. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 20A combination picture-taking and sound-generating apparatus for use with a portable electronic device, the apparatus comprising:

- a housing having a generally circular cross-section, an open end, a closed end, exterior walls defining an exterior surface, an audio port in the exterior surface, a viewfinder window in the exterior surface, and interior walls defining a generally hollow interior portion;
- a sound-generating element within the generally hollow interior portion and proximate to the at least one audio port, wherein the sound-generating element is configured to receive audio signals from the portable electronic device and generate sounds corresponding to the audio signals;
- a picture-taking element within the generally hollow interior portion and proximate to the viewfinder window, wherein the picture-taking element is configured to capture images and generate image signals corresponding to the captured images for transmission to the portable electronic device; and
- a cap covering the open end of the housing, wherein the cap and the housing enclose the sound-generating element and the picture-taking element, and wherein the generally hollow interior portion is positioned as a resonant space for sounds generated by the sound-generating element,

wherein the closed end has a first surface with a first axle formed thereon and the cap has a second surface facing away from the first surface with a second axle formed thereon, wherein the first and second axles are configured to be operably coupled to the portable electronic device, and further wherein the apparatus is rotatably movable about the first and second axles relative to the portable electronic device.

22. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim ~~20-21~~ wherein the at least one audio port is at a portion of the exterior surface corresponding to the closed end.

23. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim ~~20-21~~ wherein the picture-taking element includes one of a Charge Coupled Device (CCD) and a Complementary Metal-Oxide Semiconductor (CMOS).

24. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim ~~20-21~~ wherein the sound-generating element includes a Mylar speaker.

25. (Cancelled)

26. (Cancelled)

27. (Currently Amended) ~~The apparatus of claim 25~~An apparatus for use with a portable electronic device, the apparatus comprising:

a body having an exterior surface, at least one audio port in the exterior surface, an opening in the exterior surface, and an interior region;

at least one sound-generating element in the interior region and proximate to the at least one audio port, wherein the at least one sound-generating element is configured to be operably coupled to the portable electronic device; and

at least one image-capturing element in the interior region and proximate to the opening, wherein the at least one image-capturing element is configured to be operably coupled to the portable electronic device,
wherein the body encloses the at least one sound-generating element and the at least one image-capturing element, and wherein the interior region of the body provides a resonant space for sound generated by the at least one sound-generating element, and further wherein the apparatus is configured to be fixedly positioned and not rotatable in the portable electronic device.

28. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 25-27 wherein the body includes:

a first portion having an interior region; and
a second portion configured to be attached to the first portion, the first and second portions forming the interior region of the body that provides the resonant space.

29. (Cancelled)

30. (Currently Amended) ~~The apparatus of claim 29~~An apparatus for use with a portable electronic device, the apparatus comprising:

a housing having exterior walls defining an exterior surface, a first audio port in the exterior surface, a second audio port in the exterior surface, an opening in the exterior surface, a first set of interior walls defining a first chamber, and a second set of interior walls defining a second chamber;
a first sound-generating element in the first chamber and positioned toward the first audio port, wherein the first sound-generating element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device;

a second sound-generating element in the second chamber and positioned toward the second audio port, wherein the second sound-generating element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device; and
an image-capturing element positioned toward the opening, wherein the image-capturing element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device,
wherein the first chamber substantially encloses the first sound-generating element, thereby forming a first resonant space for first sounds generated by the first sound-generating element, and wherein the second chamber substantially encloses the second sound-generating element, thereby forming a second resonant space for second sounds generated by the second sound-generating element, and further wherein the housing is configured to be fixedly positioned and not rotatable in the portable electronic device.

31. (Canceled)

32. (Currently Amended) The portable electronic device ~~apparatus~~ of claim ~~34-38~~ wherein the opening is a first opening, the housing further has a second opening in the exterior surface, and further comprising an electrical connector attached to the image-capturing element, wherein the electrical connector passes through the second opening and extends at least partially around the exterior surface so as to enable rotation of the apparatus in the portable electronic device.

33. (Previously Presented) The portable electronic device ~~apparatus~~ of claim 32 wherein the electrical connector is attached to the first and second sound-generating elements.

34. (Currently Amended) The portable electronic device apparatus of claim 2938, wherein the housing includes:

- a first portion;
- a first generally concave portion configured to be attached to the first portion to form at least one of the interior walls of the first set that define the first chamber; and
- a second generally concave portion configured to be attached to the first portion to form at least one of the interior walls of the second set that define the second chamber.

35. (Previously Presented) The portable electronic device apparatus of claim 34 wherein the first audio port is located in a first portion of the exterior surface corresponding to the first generally concave portion and the second audio port is located in a second portion of the exterior surface corresponding to the second generally concave portion.

36. (Canceled)

37. (Currently Amended) ~~The apparatus of claim 36, further comprising~~An apparatus for use with a portable electronic device, the apparatus comprising:

- means for generating sound, wherein the means for generating sound are configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device;
- means for capturing images, wherein the means for capturing images are configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device;
- means for housing the means for generating sound and the means for capturing images and for resonating sound generated by the means for generating sound; and
- means for enabling the apparatus to be rotatably fixedly positioned and not rotatable in the portable electronic device.

38. (New) A portable electronic device, comprising:
- a housing having exterior walls defining an exterior surface, a first audio port in the exterior surface, a second audio port in the exterior surface, an opening in the exterior surface, a first set of interior walls defining a first chamber, and a second set of interior walls defining a second chamber, wherein the housing has a generally cylindrical shape having a first closed end and a second closed end;
 - a first axle at a first surface of the first closed end;
 - a second axle at a second surface of the second closed end, wherein the second surface opposes the first surface;
 - a first sound-generating element in the first chamber and positioned toward the first audio port, wherein the first sound-generating element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device;
 - a second sound-generating element in the second chamber and positioned toward the second audio port, wherein the second sound-generating element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device; and
 - an image-capturing element positioned toward the opening, wherein the image-capturing element is configured to be electrically connected to the portable electronic device.